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TIME TO BUY DIAMONDS.

The recent financial flurry caught the New York importers with full stocks of diamonds on hand.

The financial depression decreased the American demand for diamonds and these New York importers are sacrificing their profit to convert surplus stock into cash.

Diamonds are not down in price. They cost as much in London as ever, and the American demand will soon recover.

We are in touch with these New York importers and can furnish you a diamond any size or quality from 15 to 20 per cent less than you can buy them for this fall.

If you want a diamond now is the time to buy it.

The Kelley-Vawter Jewelry Co.
West Side Square, Marshall, Mo.



FIVE GENERATIONS.

(1) Mrs. Martha Williams, 4830 N. Broadway, St. Louis, great-great-grandmother, age 96; (2) Mrs. A. A. York, 4830 N. Broadway, St. Louis, great-grandmother, age 64; (3) Mrs. G. B. Lasley, Blue Lick, grandmother, age 47; (4) Mrs. Florence Dennis, mother, Blue Lick, age 22; (5) little Raymond H. Dennis, Blue Lick, age 4 months.

Floor Gives Way.

The floor of a store building near the centre of the south side of the square owned by Mrs. E. Althouse and used by Bagnell & Montague as a warehouse gave way Friday night under the strain it was under and sank several feet and threw the sugar and other groceries into a mass in the centre of the room. There is \$10,000 or more worth of sugar alone in the store room, three car loads having been received recently. The noise was heard a block away made by the falling mass.

Trip to Cuba

Chas. Niemeier of near Hardeman and Levi Smith of near Nelson with their wives expect to start on a Southern trip tomorrow. They will visit Cuba and Texas points. Both are well-to-do farmers who are entitled to all the pleasures such a trip affords. Mr. Niemeier paid for his last trip with a load of hogs but we think he will try the wheat route this time as he has just sold his wheat at a good price.

Double Death.

We notice from the Arrow Rock Statesman that Mrs. Fred Marlow, formerly Miss Sudie Edwards, of Arrow Rock, died at her home in Sedan, Kansas, on April 20th after an illness of ten days. Her death was followed on April 23d by her husband, who had come home from Oklahoma several weeks previous sick. Mr. and Mrs. Marlow were married last September. Both are well known at Arrow Rock and were highly respected.

Spring Chickens

Mrs. Thos. Overly, of Salt Springs, and son, Herbert, were here shopping Saturday. Mrs. Overly brought in 11 spring chickens weighing 2 1/2 lbs., which she sold at 50c each.

Comes to Mt. Leonard

Rev. G. W. McClanahan, of Kansas City, will move to Mt. Leonard on June 1st where he will preach in the Baptist church on the 2d and 4th Sundays and at Fish Creek church on the 1st and 3rd Sundays. He and Rev. M. M. Smith will begin a revival meeting in Mt. Leonard on the first Sunday in June.

COUNTY CONVENTION.

Democrats Elected Delegates to State Convention Monday

The Democrats of Saline had township meeting Saturday and a delegate convention in Marshall Monday. The object of the convention was to elect delegates to the state convention at Jefferson City on May 20, 1908.

Judge John A. Rich presided as temporary chairman and S. J. Wheeler as secretary. On roll call all township were found to be represented except Blackwater, which township also was without a representative at the Republican convention. The three usual committees were appointed—Credentials, Order of Business, Resolutions—and also a committee on the selection of delegates. The committee on credentials reported the following delegates entitled to seats:

Marshall township—D. C. Gore, J. M. Sphar, proxy A. F. Rector; T. H. Harvey, W. C. Keirn, F. E. Rigney, Jr., Ed. Hutchinson, R. M. Reynolds, S. J. Sydenstricker, W. E. Williams, A. Allenberg, A. J. Graves, V. B. Swisher, J. L. Yeagle proxy C. D. Newton; E. R. Pemberton by J. R. Phillips proxy; P. L. Neville, Dr. Wm. Harrison, R. S. Winslow, S. T. Hunter by J. B. Prior proxy, Marcellus Gaudin, J. J. Mitchell by W. R. Scott proxy.

Miami—C. H. Hitchborn, G. N. Jackson by J. A. Dunlap proxy, Sid J. Wheeler, T. L. Davis, J. D. Fristoe by Jos Wilson proxy, P. D. Campbell, R. C. Hanna, R. W. Ervine.

Liberty—J. H. Stephens, G. T. Reed, R. S. Givens.

Cambridge—Casey Adams, Dr. F. A. Howard by Henry Mead proxy, W. R. Rhoads by C. P. Storis proxy, J. G. Reynolds by Sam Howard proxy, Jas McKinney, G. D. Swinney, A. A. Hill, Robt. Land, Jos Lineberry by J. A. Rich proxy, Luther Gilliam, W. A. Gwinn, Dr. Howard Ford, Jas D. Reid.

Arrow Rock—O. C. Brown, Frank Lawless, Shelton Abbey by Chas. Baker proxy, Bernard Staples, Geo. McLean, Will Elchman, M. S. McGuire.

Grand Pass—Hugh White, E. E. Fenner, S. B. Jeter, J. R. Brown, Jno N Cochran.

Elmwood—J. C. Kethly, Joe Hamill, F. S. Smith, C. J. Blackburn.

Clay—Joe A. Johnson, Joe H. Auer, Joe Cots, Jesse Hensick.

Salt Fork—W. L. Abney.

Salt Pond—Joe Banks, Jno L. Goggin, V. O. Beatty, Louis Grother.

The committee on permanent organization recommended A. F. Rector permanent chairman and P. D. Campbell secretary and the Democratic editors as assistant secretaries.

The committee on delegates named the following:

Arrow Rock, Dr. M. S. McGuire; Blackwater, J. P. Foree; Cambridge, John A. Rich; Clay, J. H. Auer; Elm-

wood, G. A. Richart; Grand Pass, H. G. White; Liberty, A. F. Rector; Marshall, Thos. H. Harvey; Miami, R. C. Hanna; Salt Fork, Matt W. Hall; Salt Pond, J. L. Goggin and R. M. Reynolds.

The report of the committee on resolutions instructed the delegates to cast their votes for the nomination of Wm. J. Bryan for president. The resolutions rather inconsistently endorsed the administrations of "every Democratic governor from the return of the party to power after the Civil war and including that of the present able and efficient incumbent, Joseph W. Folk." The independent newspapers were severely scored. D. D. Duggins was endorsed as a district delegate to the national convention. The committee reports were approved.

A number of candidates for state officers were present and made addresses.

Broke Shoulder in Runaway.

While in Slater Friday morning between 10 and 11 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brookman, of east of Gilliam, had their team of mules run away near the corner of Rosenthal's meat market, being scared by a boy on a bicycle. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brookman were thrown out and Mrs. Brookman was carried into Maneke's confectionery, where Dr. Howard attended her injuries. She was found to have her shoulder bones broken, but was doing nicely Monday.

A Sunday Runaway

About six o'clock Sunday evening as M. F. Tabler in company with Misses Riva Haynie and Eva Scheid of College Addition were driving near the southwest corner of the square their horse became frightened and dashed upon the court house lawn. Miss Scheid was thrown upon the lawn uninjured but the other two stayed in the buggy which had two of the wheels broken up by the curbing and trees and were roughly thrown out at Robertson & Barnhill's livery barn, Miss Haynie receiving a broken arm. The horse ran to Sam

EAGLES' CARNIVAL.

Attraction Billed for Week of May 25th to 30th.

The Marshall Eagles have decided to give a carnival and to have it at once and to this end have arranged with the Laehman-Loos Carnival Co. to be in Marshall during the week of May 25th to 30th and entertain our people.

The company has eight splendid high class attractions, three free shows, a fine band and carries a force of 250 people. The shows will all be on the Eagles grounds and on the lot north of the grounds.

Evans' barn where it belonged. The rig was badly damaged. Dr. Harrison attended to Miss Haynie's injuries.

Dogs Killed 12 Sheep

M. E. Tribble, of College Addition reports that dogs from east Marshall killed twelve of his sheep Sunday night. When it is remembered that dogs caused several runaways recently and that they are making themselves very offensive generally, it is to be hoped that our city authorities will see that they are properly checked.

Getting Revenue.

Slater is experiencing no trouble in raising revenue but has a new way of doing it since the saloon revenue has ceased. Sunday at 5 p. m. City Marshal Butts raided a crap game in an empty freight car and arrested 21 boys aged from 10 to 15 years. Monday afternoon they were paying fines from \$5.70 to \$7.20 apiece. One of them told us that he was still ahead, having won \$15.00 in the game. We will not publish the names this time as all the boys seem anxious to become regular subscribers to the Republican shortly.

Mrs. Will Dennis, of Blue Lick, and daughter, Mrs. Jasper Holden and husband, of east of Marshall, were in town Saturday shopping.

There is never a question as to the absolute purity and healthfulness of food raised with

DR. PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING POWDER

A pure, cream of tartar powder
Its fame is world wide
No alum; no phosphate of lime

The poisonous nature of alum is so well known that the sale of condiments and whiskey containing it is prohibited by law.

In buying baking powder examine the label and take only a brand shown to be made with cream of tartar.

KILLED BY TRAIN.

W. S. Goff Run Over Saturday By C. & A. Passenger.

Accidents came fast Saturday and our citizens were prepared for startling news when it was reported on the square that a man had been run over and killed at the C. & A. depot.

W. S. Goff a former citizen of this county who went west about twenty years ago and of late resided at Johannesburg, California, was on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Henry Hinton near the C. & A. depot, and was about to board the Midway Special when the accident occurred. He was on his way to the depot with Mr. Hinton and had crossed the track at the West Boyd St. crossing and he either noticed that Mr. Hinton was not on his side and wanted to cross back to the other side or he was mistaken in thinking the train was on another track as he walked squarely in front of it and the train bore him down, cutting off his head smooth with his shoulders and cutting off a foot. His head was crushed to a pulp and but few pieces in shape to handle. The sight was sickening.

The body was taken in charge of by Coroner Scrutched and removed to an undertakers rooms awaiting the train crew's return for the inquest.

Mr. Goff was about 40 years old, a bachelor and well-to-do. He has a brother at Sweet Spring and one at Shenandoah, Iowa. His father resides in Ozark county, Mo.

His remains were laid to rest Monday afternoon after funeral services at the home of his sister.

Had Runaway.

W. C. Allen, of east Marshall, was driving near the southwest corner of the square Saturday at 1:30 p. m. when his horse shied and ran south on Lafayette. At the corner, a boy on a bicycle was run down but not hurt. The horse was stopped several blocks down the street without any damage resulting.

Another Accident.

Roy Scott fell from a horse on West Washington Saturday morning when the horse became scared and was quite badly hurt by the horse kicking him, but his injuries proved only temporary.

WILLIAM PIPER A SUICIDE

Blowed Off Head With a Shot Gun Saturday

Because his troubles were more than he could bear and with this remark made shortly before the deed, Col. Wm. Piper an old and respected citizen Saturday shot himself at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Adams, on East North street. He had been in poor health for several years and added to this the fact that his son James had been sent to Nevada and the home of Mort Piper burned that morning he no doubt became discouraged.

After serving Mr. Piper his dinner up stairs in his room Mrs. Adams had taken her seat with the family at the dinner table when a shot was heard upstairs. Going to Mr. Piper's room they found a ghastly sight. He had probably stuck the muzzle of the shot gun in his mouth and fired it with a yard stick still in his hand when found. The top of his head was shot off.

Mr. Piper was about 75 years old and one of Saline's well-to-do citizens. Besides the daughter, three sons survive—Mort, James and Chas.—who have the sympathy of the community.

Funeral services were held at the residence of Mr. Piper's daughter Sunday at 3 p. m. conducted by his pastor, Rev. J. E. McDonald, after which his remains were taken to Ridge Park cemetery for burial. A very large number were present at both places and we are told that there never were more beautiful floral offerings at a Marshall funeral than at this one.

Dr. John R. Hall, H. G. Allen, Robt. Sandidge, D. D. Duggins, Maj. Geo. Lankford, and W. P. Dickson acted as pall bearers.

Piper Residence Burned

James M. Piper's residence several miles south of Marshall on the Sedalia road burned Saturday morning about 3 o'clock, origin of fire unknown. A son, Gaines, discovered the fire and woke his parents. It was in the kitchen and had also set the roof above on fire and they found themselves unable to put it out, so managed to save a few pieces of furniture. The loss on the house and contents was about \$4,000 with insurance amounting to \$3400.